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1 ALFRED LAM, SHANIA RAMAN, FRANK CHEN, PAULA LEIATO, &
 2 GREGORY CHIN
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 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 9 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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 11 ALFRED LAM, SHANIA RAMAN, FRANK) Case No.: C 08 4702 PJH
 12 CHEN, PAULA LEIATO, and GREGORY)
 13 CHIN,)

14 Plaintiffs,)

15 vs.)

16 THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN)
 17 FRANCISCO, a municipality and)
 18 political subdivision of the)
 19 State of California, TIMOTHY)
 20 DIESTEL, DENNIS DOYLE, ALFRED)
 21 FLECK, CHARLES LEWIS, ALLEN)
 22 NANCE, JOHN RADOGNO, WAYNE)
 23 WILLIAMS, and BARRY YOUNG,)

24 Defendants.)
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**PETITION FOR SUBSTITUTION OF
 ATTORNEY OF RECORD AND ORDER
 THERETO.**

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1 Plaintiffs, Alfred Lam, Shania Raman, Frank Chen, Paula
2 Leiato, and Gregory Chin hereby request the Court to approve the
3 substitution of Evgenii Sverdlov as their attorney of record.
4 Prior to the substitution, Plaintiffs were represented in pro
5 per.
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7 All Plaintiffs consent to this substitution.

8 Dated: July 14, 2009 Alfred Lam
9 Plaintiff ALFRED LAM

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12 Dated: July 14, 2009 Shania Raman
13 Plaintiff SHANIA RAMAN

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15 Dated: July 14, 2009 [Signature]
16 Plaintiff FRANK CHEN

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19 Dated: July 14, 2009 Paula Leiato
20 Plaintiff PAULA LEIATO

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23 Dated: July 14, 2009 [Signature]
24 Plaintiff GREGORY CHIN

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1 Evgenii Sverdlov, as the counsel substituting in, consents
2 to this substitution. Attorney Evengii Sverdlov (SBN: 262447)
3 will be the new attorney of record for the Plaintiffs. Mr.
4 Sverdlov's contact information is as follows: 564 Market Street,
5 Suite 608, San Francisco, CA 94104; Telephone (415) 986-1450;
6 Facsimile (415) 329-1709; and email sverdlov@casehunt.com
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8 DATED: July 14, 2009

9 By: 
10 Evgenii Sverdlov
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ORDER

The Court hereby orders that the request of Plaintiffs
ALFRED LAM, SHANIA RAMAN, FRANK CHEN, PAULA LEIATO, and GREGORY
CHIN to substitute Evgenii Sverdlov (SBN: 262447), 564 Market
Street, Suite 608, San Francisco, CA 94104; Telephone (415) 986-
1450; Facsimile (415) 329-1709; and email sverdlov@casehunt.com,
as Attorney of Record in place and stead of representation in
pro per is hereby **GRANTED**.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: July __, 2009

By: 

Honorable Phyllis J. Hamilton
United States District Judge